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**MINUTES OF MEETINGS
OF THE SOCIETY**

February 17th, 1915.—The meeting was called to order at 8.30 p. m.; Austin L. Bowman, M. Am. Soc. C. E., in the chair; T. J. McMinn, Assistant Secretary, acting as Secretary; and present, also, 158 members and 22 guests.

A paper by William G. Grove, Esq., and Henry Taylor, Assoc. M. Am. Soc. C. E., entitled "Reconstruction of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company's Bridge over the Ohio River at Kenova, West Virginia," was presented by Mr. Grove and illustrated with lantern slides. The paper was discussed by Messrs. T. Kennard Thomson, F. W. Skinner, Otis E. Hovey, and W. J. Boucher. A communication on the subject from C. H. Cartlidge, M. Am. Soc. C. E., was read by the Assistant Secretary.

Adjourned.

March 3d, 1915.—The meeting was called to order at 8.30 p. m.; Vice-President Gardner S. Williams in the chair; T. J. McMinn, Assistant Secretary, acting as Secretary; and present, also, 132 members and 21 guests.

The minutes of the Annual Meeting, January 20th, and of the meeting of February 3d, 1915, were approved as printed in *Proceedings* for February, 1915.

The Chairman appointed Messrs. A. H. Van Cleve, F. W. Skinner, and J. H. Granbery as Tellers to canvass the ballot on the following proposed amendment to the Constitution:

Amend Article VII—Nomination and Election of Officers—as follows:

Strike out Section 1, and substitute the following:

“The Board of Direction shall, from time to time, divide the territory occupied by the membership into thirteen geographical districts, to be designated by numbers. District No. 1 shall be the territory within fifty miles of the Post Office in the City of New York. Each of the other districts shall be, as nearly as practicable, contiguous territory, and shall be designated as Districts Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13. The Board shall announce such division to the Society on or before the first day of March in each year.”

Strike out the first paragraph of Section 2, and substitute the following:

“At the Annual Meeting of each year, seven Corporate Members, not officers of the Society, shall be appointed by the meeting to serve for two years. They shall be selected so as to provide, with the seven members holding over, two members from District No. 1, and one from each of the remaining twelve Districts; and these, with the last five living Past-Presidents of the Society, shall be a committee to nominate officers for the Society.”

Strike out the word “and” in the fifteenth line of the third paragraph of Section 2, and after the figure “7” add: “8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13.”

The Tellers reported as follows:

Total number of ballots received.....	1 178
Unsigned	13
From those in arrears for dues.....	8
Stamped, not signed.....	2 23
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Ballots canvassed	1 155
Voting Yes	1 066
No	83
Blank ballots (not marked).....	6

The Chair declared the amendment carried.

A paper, entitled "Cinder Concrete Floor Construction Between Steel Beams", by Harold Perrine and George E. Strehan, Juniors, Am. Soc. C. E., was presented by Mr. Strehan and illustrated with lantern slides. A communication on the subject from K. M. Boorman, Esq., was read by the Assistant Secretary, and the paper was discussed orally by Messrs. Guy B. Waite, T. Hugh Boorman, Albert Oliver, Ira H. Woolson, M. S. Falk, and George E. Strehan.

The Assistant Secretary announced the election of the following candidates on March 2d, 1915:

AS MEMBERS

ALFRED FRANCIS THÉARD, New Orleans, La.
JOHN WILSON, Austin, Tex.

AS ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

GAULT APPLEGARTH, Baltimore, Md.
ERNEST RUBY BEAR, Wheeling, W. Va.
ARTHUR BRYAN, Birmingham, England
FRANK JOSEPH CONLON, Brooklyn, N. Y.
WILLIAM CAREY CRAM, Jr., Raleigh, N. C.
ROBERT MENEES DAVIS, Newman, Cal.
CARL S. DONALDSON, Beaver Falls, Pa.
JAMES LUMNSDEN FERESEE, Atlantic City, N. J.
DOUGLASS HEWITT FERRY, San Diego, Cal.
ROY WARNER GAUSMANN, Brown Station, N. Y.
HERBERT ELLSWORTH HOWES, Minneapolis, Minn.
CHARLES REGINALD HUGHES, Lima, Ohio
HERBERT ALFRED JACKSON, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
WESLEY EUGENE KING, St. Paul, Minn.
PERCY HUGH MARSHALL MACINTOSH, Sydney, New South Wales,
Australia
JOHN ALEXANDER NORRIS, Wharton, Tex.
BENJAMIN SIMPSON PHILBRICK, Santa Rosalia, Chih., Mexico
NATHAN SCHEIN, Pittsburgh, Pa.
FREDERICK ROBERT SITES, Shanghai, China
JAMES ELMO SMITH, Urbana, Ill.
JULIEN SMITH, Selma, Ala.
THOMAS HENRY STRATE, Aberdeen, S. Dak.
HAROLD WARNER STREETER, Cincinnati, Ohio
CARL STUETZEL, Jr., Boston, Mass.
GEORGE ELIOTT STURT, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.
OSCAR GOWEN THURLOW, Birmingham, Ala.
ARTHUR JOHN TURNER, Long Lake, Wash.
GUY VROMAN, Larchmont, N. Y.

As JUNIORS

FRANK STORK ALTMAN, Atchison, Kans.
DARIO BRESSANE, Campanha, Minas Geraes, Brazil
CARLYLE HUGO BRYSON, Lima, Ohio
IVAN CHARLES CRAWFORD, Boulder, Colo.
JOHN JAMES GAULT, Bocas del Toro, Panama
LEWIS MERRICK HAMMOND, Provo, Utah
WILLIAM JOHN KREFELD, New York City
JOSEPH MASTELLA LEGRAND, Clarkdale, Ariz.
SAMUEL BROOKS MORRIS, Pasadena, Cal.
RUSSELL MOORE ROBINSON, Dayton, Ohio
HAROLD AUGUST HASTRUP SCHULTZ, Detroit, Mich.
CHARLES MARIA WEBER, Ithaca, N. Y.
ALPHONSE MUELLER WESTENHOFF, Cincinnati, Ohio
HENRY WILLCOX, West New Brighton, N. Y.

The Assistant Secretary announced the transfer of the following candidates on March 2d, 1915:

FROM ASSOCIATE MEMBER TO MEMBER

HARRY EDMUND BILGER, Springfield, Ill.
CON MORRISON BUCK, Topeka, Kans.
ADAM LEONARD BUSH, Los Angeles, Cal.
ROSS MILLER COOMER, Sioux City, Iowa
LOUIS CHRISTIAN DATZ, New Orleans, La.
HARRY WESTBROOK DEGRAFF, Amsterdam, N. Y.
THOMAS ALVIN GILKEY, New Castle, Pa.
CARLETON GREENE, New York City
OSCAR LLEWELLYN GROVER, Washington, D. C.
JULIUS LILIEN JACOBS, Houston, Tex.
CHARLES AUGUSTIN WOODLEY MUSSON, Butte, Mont.
RALPH FENNO PROCTOR, Baltimore, Md.
FREDERIC ADAMS REIMER, East Orange, N. J.
THOMAS RIGGS, Jr., Washington, D. C.
ELWYN EGGLESTON SEELYE, New York City
ADELBERT ALONZO WEILAND, Pueblo, Colo.
THAD LOREN WILSON, New York City

FROM JUNIOR TO ASSOCIATE MEMBER

JAMES MADISON BARKER, Boston, Mass.
JOHN CLEAVELAND BEEBE, Richfield, Idaho
JOHN HENRY BRINGHURST, Ann Arbor, Mich.
MASSENA LARON CULLEY, Jackson, Miss.
RALPH SAMUEL GRAM, Toledo, Ohio

GEORGE ELIAS HALSTEAD, LaFayette, Ind.
HORACE PARLIN HAMLIN, New York City
CHARLES JACOB HYER, Tampa, Fla.
FRANK HENRY MACY, Dansville, N. Y.
WILFRED LINCOLN ROWE, Meadow Creek, Wash.
WILLIAM LEE SELMER, New York City
HORATIO SEYMOUR, JR., Bronxville, N. Y.

FROM JUNIOR TO ASSOCIATE

ROGER LEROY MORRISON, College Station, Tex.

The Assistant Secretary announced the following deaths:

FRANK OLIN MARVIN, of Lawrence, Kans., elected Member, May 5th, 1897; died February 6th, 1915.

SAINT GEORGE HENRY COOKE, of Philadelphia, Pa., elected Associate Member, January 5th, 1909; died January 12th, 1915.

HAROLD HANSEN FITTING, of San Francisco, Cal., elected Junior, May 2d, 1911; Associate Member, September 3d, 1913; died January 7th, 1915.

Adjourned.

OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTION

(Abstract)

March 2d, 1915.—The Board met at 4.40 p. m., President Marx in the chair; Chas. Warren Hunt, Secretary, and present, also, Messrs. Bontecou, Coleman, Crocker, Davies, Endicott, Greiner, Herschel, Montfort, Ockerson, Swain, Tuttle, and Williams.

Mr. Hunt presented a draft of a Bill prepared by a Joint Committee of the National Engineering Societies with the resolutions adopted by that Committee February 4th, 1915, as follows:

"Resolved: That the Members of this Joint Committee present to their respective governing bodies an official copy of the Act as finally adopted by the Committee, with the suggestion that it be used, should it become necessary, in connection with legislation on the subject.

"Resolved: That the Joint Committee having completed the task assigned to it, in so far as it has been able to do so, requests that it be discharged."

Robert Ridgway and Chas. Warren Hunt were, in accordance with this resolution and their request, discharged as representatives of this Society on said Committee.

Edwin Duryea, Jr., was appointed a member of the Committee of Management of the International Engineering Congress, 1915, to fill the vacancy caused by the election of Mr. Marx, by virtue of which he becomes a member of the Committee on Participation.

A proposed amendment to the Constitution of the Philadelphia Association of Members of the Society was approved.

A proposed revision of the Constitution of the Atlanta Association of Members of the Society was approved.

General Grenville Mellen Dodge was elected an Honorary Member by the unanimous vote of the Board of Direction and of all living Past-Presidents.

The resignations of 2 Members, 4 Associate Members, and 3 Juniors were accepted.

Ballots for membership were canvassed, resulting in the election of 2 Members, 28 Associate Members, and 14 Juniors, and the transfer of 1 Junior to the grade of Associate, and 12 Juniors to the grade of Associate Member.

Seventeen Associate Members were transferred to the grade of Member.

Applications for membership were considered and other routine business transacted.

Adjourned.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The House of the Society is open from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M., every day, except Sundays, Fourth of July, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.

FUTURE MEETINGS

April 7th, 1915.—8.30 P. M.—A regular business meeting will be held, and a paper by R. M. Strohl, Jun. Am. Soc. C. E., entitled "The St. John Levee and Drainage District of Missouri", will be presented for discussion.

This paper is printed in this number of *Proceedings*.

April 21st, 1915.—8.30 P. M.—At this meeting a paper by Adolph F. Meyer, M. Am. Soc. C. E., entitled "Computing Run-Off from Rainfall and Other Physical Data", will be presented for discussion.

This paper is printed in this number of *Proceedings*.

ANNUAL CONVENTION

The Annual Convention of the Society will be held in San Francisco, Cal., September 16th, 17th, and 18th, 1915, being the Thursday, Friday, and Saturday immediately preceding the International Engineering Congress, which is to be held during the week beginning September 20th.

Three of the other National Engineering Societies, under whose auspices the International Engineering Congress is to be held, will also hold meetings in San Francisco at about that time.

Arrangements will be made for a special train, and possibly more than one train, to accommodate the members of all of these Societies who wish to attend their own meeting as well as the Congress.

This matter is in the hands of a Joint Committee of representatives of these organizations, and it is expected that within a short time a circular will be mailed to the entire membership of these Societies (some 28 000), giving in detail a schedule of train service, railroad and hotel rates, etc.

SEARCHES IN THE LIBRARY

In January, 1902, the Secretary was authorized to make searches in the Library, upon request, and to charge therefor the actual cost to the Society for the extra work required. Since that time many searches have been made, and bibliographies and other information on special subjects furnished.

The resulting satisfaction, to the members who have made use of the resources of the Society in this manner, has been expressed frequently, and leaves little doubt that if it were generally known to the

membership that such work would be undertaken, many would avail themselves of it.

The cost is trifling compared with the value of the time of an engineer who looks up such matters himself, and the work can be performed quite as well, and much more quickly, by persons familiar with the Library.

In asking that such work be undertaken, members should specify clearly the subject to be covered, and whether references to general books only are desired, or whether a complete bibliography, involving search through periodical literature, is desired.

In making a search it sometimes happens that references are found which are not readily accessible to the person for whom the search is made. In that case the material may be reproduced by photography, and this can be done for members at the cost of the work to the Society, which is small. This method is particularly useful when there are drawings or figures in the text, which would be very expensive to reproduce by hand.

PAPERS AND DISCUSSIONS

Members and others who take part in the oral discussions of the papers presented are urged to revise their remarks promptly. Written communications from those who cannot attend the meetings should be sent in at the earliest possible date after the issue of a paper in *Proceedings*.

All papers accepted by the Publication Committee are classified by the Committee with respect to their availability for discussion at meetings.

Papers which, from their general nature, appear to be of a character suitable for oral discussion, will be published as heretofore in *Proceedings*, and set down for presentation to a future meeting of the Society, and on these, oral discussions, as well as written communications, will be solicited.

All papers which do not come under this heading, that is to say, those which from their mathematical or technical nature, in the opinion of the Committee are not adapted to oral discussion, will not be scheduled for presentation to any meeting. Such papers will be published in *Proceedings* in the same manner as those which are to be presented at meetings, but written discussions only will be requested for subsequent publication in *Proceedings* and with the paper in the volumes of *Transactions*.

The Board of Direction has adopted rules for the preparation and presentation of papers, which will be found on page 429 of the August, 1913, *Proceedings*.

LOCAL ASSOCIATIONS OF MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS

Meeting of Presidents of Local Associations

A meeting of the Presidents or representatives of the fourteen Local Associations of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers was held at the House of the Society on January 19th, 1915, the day preceding the Annual Meeting. A Report in Full of the Proceedings of this meeting will be published in the April *Proceedings*.

San Francisco Association

The San Francisco Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers holds regular bi-monthly meetings, with banquet, and weekly informal luncheons. The former are held at 6 p. m., at the Palace Hotel, on the third Friday of February, April, June, August, October, and December, the last being the Annual Meeting of the Association.

Informal luncheons are held at 12.15 p. m., every Wednesday, and the place of meeting may be ascertained by communicating with the Secretary of the Association, E. T. Thurston, Jr., 713 Mechanics' Institute, 57 Post Street.

The by-laws of the Association provide for the extension of hospitality to any member of the Society who may be temporarily in San Francisco, and any such member will be gladly welcomed as a guest.

(Abstract of Minutes of Meeting)

December 18th, 1914.—The Tenth Annual Meeting was called to order; President Snyder in the chair; E. T. Thurston, Jr., Secretary; and present, also, 80 members and guests.

Mr. C. E. Grunsky, for the Committee on Headquarters for the Annual Convention, reported that satisfactory arrangements had been made with the Hotel St. Francis. On his motion, it was voted to offer the assistance of the Association to the Board of Direction in the selection of the Entertainment Committee for the Convention.

Mr. Thurston, for his committee, reported that the Engineers' Club of San Francisco would be pleased to make arrangements with the Association relative to holding the weekly luncheons in its new quarters as soon as they were ready.

The Reports of the Treasurer and Secretary were read and adopted.

On motion, duly seconded, President Snyder was instructed to appoint a Committee of three to draft suitable resolutions of sympathy to the family and relatives of the late W. R. Eckart, M. Am. Soc. C. E. Messrs. C. E. Grunsky, Hermann Schussler, and A. M. Hunt were subsequently appointed.

The following officers were elected: President, A. M. Hunt; Vice-President, M. C. Couchot; Secretary, E. T. Thurston, Jr.; and Treasurer, P. E. Harroun.

Mr. J. D. Galloway addressed the meeting on "The Installation of Unit No. 5 at the Las Plumas Power Station of the Great Western Power Company", illustrating his remarks with stereopticon views.

The paper was discussed briefly by Messrs. A. M. Hunt, Rhodin, Homberger, Doble, and Galloway.

Adjourned.

Colorado Association

The meetings of the Colorado Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers (Denver, Colo.) are held on the second Saturday of each month, except July and August. The hour and place of meeting are not fixed, but this information will be furnished on application to the Secretary, Roger W. Toll, 700 Tramway Building, Denver, Colo. The meetings are usually preceded by an informal dinner. Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers will be welcomed at these meetings.

Weekly luncheons are held on Wednesdays, at 12.30 p. m., at the Albany Hotel.

Visiting members are urged to attend the meetings and luncheons.

(Abstract of Minutes of Meeting)

February 6th, 1915.—The meeting was called to order; President Vincent in the chair; Roger W. Toll, Secretary; and present, also, 28 members and guests.

The minutes of the January, 1915, meeting were read and approved.

The Secretary reported that the ballot taken regarding the day of the monthly meeting and time of the dinner, showed a decided preference for Saturday evening and a 6 o'clock dinner.

Communications were read from the Secretary of the Society, Mr. G. N. Houston, and others.

President Vincent reported on the Conference of the Presidents of the Local Associations held in New York City on January 19th, 1915.

A report for the Committee on Licensing Civil Engineers was presented by Mr. John E. Field, and the subject was discussed by Messrs. Leonard Metcalf, H. S. Crocker, and others.

A paper on "The Drainage of Irrigated Lands" was presented by Mr. D. W. Murphy, who illustrated his remarks with stereopticon views, and there was a general discussion of the subject.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Murphy for his interesting paper.
Adjourned.

Atlanta Association

The Atlanta Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers was organized on March 14th, 1912. The Association holds its meetings at the University Club, Atlanta, Ga.

At the meeting of the Association on January 9th, 1915, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Park A. Dallis; First Vice-President, B. M. Hall; Second Vice-President, P. H. Norcross; Secretary-Treasurer, T. P. Branch.

Baltimore Association

On May 6th, 1914, the Baltimore Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers was organized, a Constitution

adopted, and the following officers were elected: J. E. Greiner, President; Francis Lee Stuart, First Vice-President; L. H. Beach, Second Vice-President; Harry D. Williar, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer; and Messrs. H. D. Bush, B. T. Fendall, B. P. Harrison, Calvin W. Hendrick, Oscar F. Lackey, M. A. Long, and A. A. Thompson, Directors.

At its meeting of September 2d, 1914, the Board of Direction considered and approved the proposed Constitution of the Baltimore Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

Cleveland Association

At its meeting of January 6th, 1915, the Board of Direction considered and approved the proposed Constitution of the Cleveland Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

The following officers have been elected: President, Willard Beahan; Vice-President, Robert Hoffmann; Secretary-Treasurer, George H. Tinker.

Louisiana Association

The Louisiana Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers (New Orleans, La.) has been organized with the following officers: Frank M. Kerr, President; J. F. Coleman, and W. B. Gregory, Vice-Presidents; A. M. N. Blamphain, Treasurer; and L. C. Datz, Secretary.

Northwestern Association

At its meeting of November 4th, 1914, the Board of Direction considered and approved the proposed Constitution of the Northwestern Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers (St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn.). F. W. Cappelen is President and R. D. Thomas, Secretary.

Philadelphia Association

The meetings of the Association are held at the Engineers' Club of Philadelphia, 1317 Spruce Street.

At the meeting of the Association on October 5th, 1914, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Richard L. Humphrey; Vice-Presidents, F. Herbert Snow and William Hunter; Directors, John Sterling Deans, John W. Ledoux, Edgar Marburg, and H. S. Smith; Treasurer, S. M. Swaab; and Secretary, W. L. Stevenson.

Portland, Ore., Association

At the meeting of the Association on October 21st, 1914, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George C. Mason; First Vice-President, W. S. Turner; Second Vice-President, John T. Whistler; Treasurer, G. B. Hegardt; and Secretary, Charles J. McGonigle.

St. Louis Association

At its meeting of October 7th, 1914, the Board of Direction considered and approved the proposed Constitution of the St. Louis Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

The following officers have been elected: President, J. A. Ockerson; First Vice-President, Edward E. Wall; Second Vice-President, F. J. Jonah; Secretary-Treasurer, Gurdon G. Black. The meetings of the Association are held at the Engineers' Club Auditorium.

Seattle Association

The Seattle Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers was organized on June 30th, 1913. At its meeting of January 25th, 1915, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, R. H. Ober; Vice-President, A. S. Downey; and Secretary-Treasurer, Carl H. Reeves.

Southern California Association

The Southern California Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers (Los Angeles, Cal.) holds regular bi-monthly meetings, with banquet, on the second Wednesday of February, April, June, August, October, and December, the last being the Annual Meeting of the Association.

Informal luncheons are held at 12.15 p. m. every Wednesday, and the place of meeting may be ascertained from the Secretary of the Association, W. K. Barnard, 515 Central Building, Los Angeles, Cal.

The by-laws of the Association provide for the extension of hospitality to any member of the Society who may be temporarily in Los Angeles, and any such member will be gladly welcomed as a guest at any of the meetings or luncheons.

Spokane Association

At its meeting of March 4th, 1914, the Board of Direction considered and approved the proposed Constitution of the Spokane Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers. Ulysses B. Hough is President.

Texas Association

At its meeting of December 31st, 1913, the Board of Direction considered and approved the proposed Constitution of the Texas Association of Members of the American Society of Civil Engineers. The headquarters of the Association is Dallas, Tex. John B. Hawley is President.

MINUTES OF MEETINGS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES TO REPORT UPON ENGINEERING SUBJECTS

Special Committee on Stresses in Railroad Track

January 19th, 1915.—The meeting was held at the House of the Society. Present, A. N. Talbot (Chairman), William McNab, G. J. Ray, and J. E. Willoughby (of the Committee) and also W. M. Dawley

and P. H. Dudley (of the Committee of the American Railway Engineering Association).

The Chairman presented informally the results of the tests already made on the Illinois Central Railroad to determine the equilibrium depression curve of rail, tie, and roadbed, and strain in rail, and made an informal oral report of the results of the test work and of the instruments used and devised. The results of the tests were discussed by members of the Committee. Dr. Dudley presented, in printed form, the results of tests, on the New York Central Railroad, to find the stresses in rail with locomotive running at various speeds. A Report of Progress, for presentation to the Annual Meeting, was discussed and adopted. The Chairman was authorized to present a budget to the Board of Direction as a basis for an appropriation for the coming year.

Special Committee on Floods and Flood Prevention

January 19th, 1915.—The third meeting of the Committee was held at the House of the Society, at 2 p. m. Present, C. McD. Townsend (Chairman), John A. Bensel, and John A. Ockerson. The draft of a report was read and discussed, and it was finally decided that, with such a limited number of members of the Committee present, it was advisable merely to report progress at the Annual Meeting of the Society.

Special Committee on Materials for Road Construction

January 21st, 1915.—The meeting was held at the House of the Society. Present, W. W. Crosby (Chairman), H. K. Bishop, A. W. Dean, Nelson P. Lewis, Charles J. Tilden, and A. H. Blanchard (Secretary).

A communication from the Secretary of the Society, dated December 7th, 1914, in reference to the granting by the Board of Direction of the appropriation of \$48.38 for laboratory research work, was read.

The Regulations in reference to Special Committees, adopted by the Board of Direction on January 6th, 1915, were discussed.

The Chairman outlined the work of 1915 in reference to non-bituminous road materials, and announced the continuance of the same sub-committees as appointed in 1914.

The Chairman requested that lists of foreign non-members of the Society, to whom the 1915 Report should be forwarded with a view to soliciting discussion, should be sent to the Secretary on or before February 1st, 1915.

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Water Requirements, Methods of Irrigation, and Analyses of Cost and Profit. By Burton P. Fleming, Assoc. M. Am. Soc. C. E. Cloth, $8\frac{1}{4} \times 5\frac{1}{2}$ in., illus., 16 + 226 pp. New York, John Wiley & Sons, Inc.; London, Chapman & Hall, Limited, 1915. \$2.00.

The solution of the irrigation problem of the vast uncultivated areas in the West, lying on the higher benches or mesas adjacent to irrigated valleys and above high-line canals, lies, the author states, in the pumping of surface or sub-surface water supplies. In this volume, therefore, he presents the subject of irrigation chiefly from the pumping standpoint, discussing in detail the design, operation, installation, and cost of a small pumping plant for such purpose, which he hopes will be helpful to the contractor who specializes in pumping machinery and the engineer who is called on to design the central station plant. The author, it is stated, has had more than eight years' experience in irrigation work covering most of the Western States, which experience he has embodied in this volume. The Chapter headings are: The Amount of Water Required; Sources of Supply; The Flow of Underground Water; Strainers; Well Sinking; Pumps, Pumping Machinery, and Appliances; Centrifugal Pumps; Different Types of Installation for Centrifugal Pumps; Typical Plants Not Using Centrifugal Pump; Cost of Pumping; The Question of Cost and Profit on a Small Farm Irrigated by Pumped Water; Reservoirs; Prime Movers; The Central Station Pumping Plant; Windmills; Appendix: Partial List of Manufacturers and Dealers in Machinery and Appliances Used in Irrigation Pumping; Index.

AIR, WATER, AND FOOD

From a Sanitary Standpoint. By Alpheus G. Woodman and John F. Norton. Fourth Edition, Revised and Rewritten. Cloth, $9\frac{1}{2} \times 6$ in., illus., 5 + 248 pp. New York, John Wiley & Sons, Inc.; London, Chapman & Hall, Limited, 1914. \$2.00.

The subject-matter of this book deals chiefly, it is stated, with the chemical analysis of air, water, and food, in their relations to the needs of daily existence, and to such portions of the chemistry of sanitation as come directly under individual control or which require the education of individuals in order to carry out sanitary measures. The preface states that since the last edition of the work was published, in 1909, distinct advances have been made in analytical methods and in the interpretation of results, all of which has necessitated, in this edition, the complete rewriting of the chapters on air and water as well as the section on milk, a revision of the older methods discussed, and numerous additions, in order to bring the contents up to the latest practice. A bibliography of the subjects discussed is included. The Chapter headings are: Three Essentials of Human Existence; Air and Health; Air: Analytical Methods; Water: Its Relation to Health, Its Source and Properties; Safe Water and the Interpretation of Analyses; Water: Analytical Methods; Food in Relation to Human Life, Definition, Sources, Classes, Dietaries; Adulteration and Sophistication of Food Materials; Analytical Methods; Appendix A, Tables; Appendix B, Reagents; Bibliography; Index.

DESIGNING CHART FOR STEEL OR WOOD BEAMS.

By Charles W. Schubert, Assoc. M. Am. Soc. C. E. Printed on Veneered Celluloid, $12 \times 7\frac{1}{2}$ in. Cleveland, Ohio, The Author, 1914. \$5.00.

This chart, the designer states, may be considered as a designer's handbook on one sheet, as it is intended to save time in handling problems of design ordinarily solved by reference to structural handbooks. The fundamental principle involved in solving formulas by use of this chart is to align two assumed variables and read the third on its proper axis. It is said to cover all the standard and Bethlehem sections of I-beams, channels, and angles, as well as the new Carnegie "supplementary" sections, and wood beams may also be designed by its use. The graduations on the chart show the allowed uniform load and load per linear foot for any

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span, spacing for any load per square foot of floor, maximum bending moments, section moduli for steel shapes, and moment of resistance of wood beams for any fiber stress.

A MODEL FIRE-PROOF FARM HOUSE OR COUNTRY HOME:

Practical Suggestions for Economical and Enduring Construction with Complete Plans and Specifications of a Model Building. By A. L. A. Himmelwright, M. Am. Soc. C. E. Paper, $9\frac{1}{2} \times 11\frac{3}{4}$ in., illus., 91 pp. New York, The Neale Publishing Company, 1913. \$1.00. (Donated by the Author.)

The object of this volume, as stated by the author, is to present full, practical, and correct information on every phase of building an inexpensive fireproof country home without the aid of an architect. The subject-matter is said to be wholly original and based on the author's long experience in the construction of buildings. It includes general and detailed plans and complete specifications, a practical treatment of such important subjects as location, drainage, local water supply, pipe sizes, etc., together with quantities, complete and accurate costs, and other data based on the actual costs of a model building constructed in 1909, of which careful record was kept. The Contents are: Location, Water Supply, Drainage, Excavating and Grading; The Plans; Practical Suggestions; A Model Sixteen-Room Building; Specifications; Schedule of Material; A Model Ten-Room Building; Appendix: A Partial List of Names and Addresses of Reliable Concerns Equipped to Furnish Materials for These Model Buildings.

UNIVERSAL SAFETY STANDARDS, MACHINE SHOP AND FOUNDRY:

A Reference Book of Rules, Drawings, Tables, Formulas, Data, and Suggestions for Use of Architects, Engineers, Superintendents, Foremen, Inspectors, Mechanics and Students. By Carl M. Hansen. Second Edition, Revised and Enlarged. Leather, $7\frac{3}{4} \times 5\frac{1}{4}$ in., illus., 312 pp. New York, Philadelphia, London, Universal Safety Standards Publishing Company, 1914. \$3.00.

In the first edition of this volume, published in November, 1913, the question of safety standards was treated, it is stated, in a general manner. In the present volume, which is the first of a series of books on the subject to be issued under the direction of the Workmen's Compensation Service Bureau, the subject is treated from the standpoint of safety in machine shops and foundries. The author's aim has been to present, for ready reference, and in detail from the construction of the plant through the shipping room, conditions ordinarily found in machine shops and foundries, with the proper safeguards applied, and to illustrate each description with drawings which show clearly the application of the principles of such safeguarding. Attention is especially called by the author to the treatment of stairways, steam engine guarding, and grinding wheel protection. The Contents are: Part I, General Safety Standard; Part II, Machine Shop; Part III, Foundry; Part IV, Rules for Practice: Machine Shops, Metal Shops and Foundry; Index.

GRAPHIC METHODS FOR PRESENTING FACTS.

By Willard C. Brinton. (Works Management Library.) Cloth, $10\frac{1}{2} \times 7\frac{1}{2}$ in., illus., 12 + 371 pp. New York, The Engineering Magazine Company, 1914. \$4.00.

The author states that the proper kind of a chart is infinitely better than a column of figures in making comparisons of various items of business, and, therefore, an effort has been made to produce, in this volume, a work which will serve as a handbook for any one who may have to prepare charts for reports, for magazine illustration, or for advertising. The subject, it is stated, is presented from the point of view of the business man, technical terms and mathematics being omitted as much as possible, but it is hoped that the book may prove useful to the engineer, the biologist, and the statistician. Although the text contains much detailed information concerning the methods of charting, the contents have been arranged, the author states, so that the busy reader may get the gist of the contents from the illustrations and the titles and sub-titles. The Contents are: Component Parts; Simple Comparisons; Simple Comparisons Involving Time; Time Charts; Curve Plotting; Comparison of Curves; Component Parts Shown by Curves; Cumulative or Mass Curves; Frequency Curves, Correlation; Map Presentations; Maps and Pins; Curves for the Executive; Records for the Executive; Corporation Financial Reports; General Methods; A Few Cautions; Index.

ELEMENTS OF HYDRAULICS.

By S. E. Slocum. Cloth, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in., illus., 11 + 294 pp. New York and London, McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc., 1915. \$2.50.

This book, it is stated, is intended as a modern presentation of the fundamental principles of hydraulics with application to such recent important works as the Catskill Aqueduct, the New York State Barge Canal, and the power plants at Niagara Falls and Keokuk. The design of turbines is not included, it is said, but the recent works of Zowski and Baashus are presented in such a manner that the young engineer is enabled to make an intelligent choice of the type of development and selection of runner. At the end of each section, the author has included a collection of typical modern problems in hydraulics, and he has also compiled and tabulated many useful hydraulic data which are given at the end of the book. The Contents are: Section I, Hydrostatics; Section II, Hydrokinetics; Section III, Hydrodynamics; Section IV, Hydraulic Data and Tables; Index.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SIXTH NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CITY PLANNING.

Toronto, May 25-27, 1914. Cloth, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in., illus., 361 pp. Cambridge, Mass., The University Press, 1914. \$2.00. (Donated by the National Conference on City Planning.)

This volume contains the Proceedings of the first meeting of the National Conference on City Planning held in Canada. At this meeting, which was officially recognized by the Canadian Government, the various Provinces, and the City of Toronto, the work of city planning and of municipal administration was discussed by officials and engineers, making possible the exchange of experiences in the handling of various municipal problems such as water fronts, city financing, housing, rapid transit, etc., all of which have been compiled and are presented in this book. An exhibition of Canadian town planning was also shown by the Commission of Conservation. The Contents are: Remarks at the Opening of the Conference; Basic Principles of Water Front Development, by Robert Gourlay; Certain Aspects of City Financing and City Planning, by Andrew Wright Crawford; Progress of the Year in City Planning, by Flavel Shurtleff; Protecting Residential Districts, by Lawrence Veiller; A Town Planning Act for Canada, by J. H. Burland; Canada and the United States as a Field for the Garden City Movement, by G. Traftord Hewitt; Provision for Future Rapid Transit, by J. V. Davies; Utility of the Motor Bus and Municipal Problems Pertaining to Its Operation, by J. A. McCollum; The New York Rapid Transit Problem, by George McAneny; Size and Distribution of Playgrounds and Similar Recreation Facilities in American Cities, by Henry V. Hubbard; Remarks at the Closing Dinner; Conference Business; Appendix: Extracts from City Charter of Halifax, Nova Scotia.

STRUCTURAL STEEL DRAFTING AND ELEMENTARY DESIGN.

By Charles D. Conklin, Jr., Assoc. M. Am. Soc. C. E. Cloth, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 12 in., 7 + 154 pp. New York, John Wiley & Sons, Inc.; London, Chapman & Hall, Limited, 1915.

This book, the preface states, deals with the preparation of shop detail drawings of structural steelwork, and is presented for use as a guide in the technical school drafting-room. No claim is made that all information relating to shop detail drawings is given, but sufficient examples and instructions are included to familiarize the beginner with drawing-room practice of the best and largest structural steel firms and to give him a knowledge of the methods used in detailing. The author has worked out a number of typical simple designs and has had shop drawings for the same prepared, thereby presenting to the student the entire work of the structural steel drafting-room, including the engineering department. The Contents are: Drafting-Room; Estimating and Designing; Equipment, Lettering, Assembling Marks; Ordering Material; Detailing Elementary Shapes; Rivets and Riveted Connections; Beam and Column Detailing; Wall Girder and Columns—Design and Detail; Design and Detail of Steel Roof; Design and Detail of Deck Plate Girder Railway Bridge; Shop Detail of Through Girder Bridge; Design and Detail of Country Highway Bridge; Design of Through Riveted Railway Span; Detail Drawings for Through Railway Bridges; Hip and Valley Details; Appendix: General Specifications for Steel Railway Bridges; Index.

CITY OFFICIALS OF THE UNITED STATES

Comprising all Cities and Towns Having More Than 8 000 Inhabitants, Revised February 1st, 1915. Paper, 6 x 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ in., 39 pp. New York, Engineering News, 1915.

The subject-matter of this little volume is arranged alphabetically by cities and includes the name of the Mayor or Chief Executive of each town, the names

of the City Clerk, City Engineer, and of the Superintendent or official in charge of the water supply. The form of government of each town is also given, whether commission government, city manager plan, etc., as well as the population according to the United States Census of 1910.

STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING.

By J. E. Kirkham, Assoc. M. Am. Soc. C. E. Cloth, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ in., illus., 4 + 669 pp. Chicago, The Myron C. Clark Publishing Co.; London, E. & F. N. Spon, Ltd., 1914. \$5.00.

The preface states that this book is intended as a textbook for college students and as a manual of structural engineering for practical men. The subject-matter treats of simple structures only, the author, it is stated, having in preparation a second volume which will treat of "Higher Structures", and relates to the determination of stresses, the selection of material, the drawing of details, the design of foundations, concrete floors, roofs, etc. The designs included in the text are stated to be entirely the work of the author and made especially for this book, the usual methods of designing being presented so that they may be read and understood without the use of a dictionary, glossary, or compendium of theoretical mechanics. The author, it is stated, has arranged the drawing-room exercises throughout the text in order that the work in the classroom and workroom will go hand in hand. The Contents are: Preliminary; Structural Draughting; Fundamental Elements of Structural Mechanics; Theoretical Treatment of Beams; Theoretical Treatment of Columns; Rivets, Pins, Rollers and Shafting; Maximum Reactions, Shears, and Bending Moments on Beams and Trusses and Stresses in Trusses; Graphic Statics; Influence Lines; Design of I-Beams and Plate Girders; Design of Simple Railroad Bridges; Design of Simple Highway Bridges; Skew Bridges, Bridges on Curve, Economic Height and Length of Trusses and Stresses in Portals; Design of Buildings; Index.

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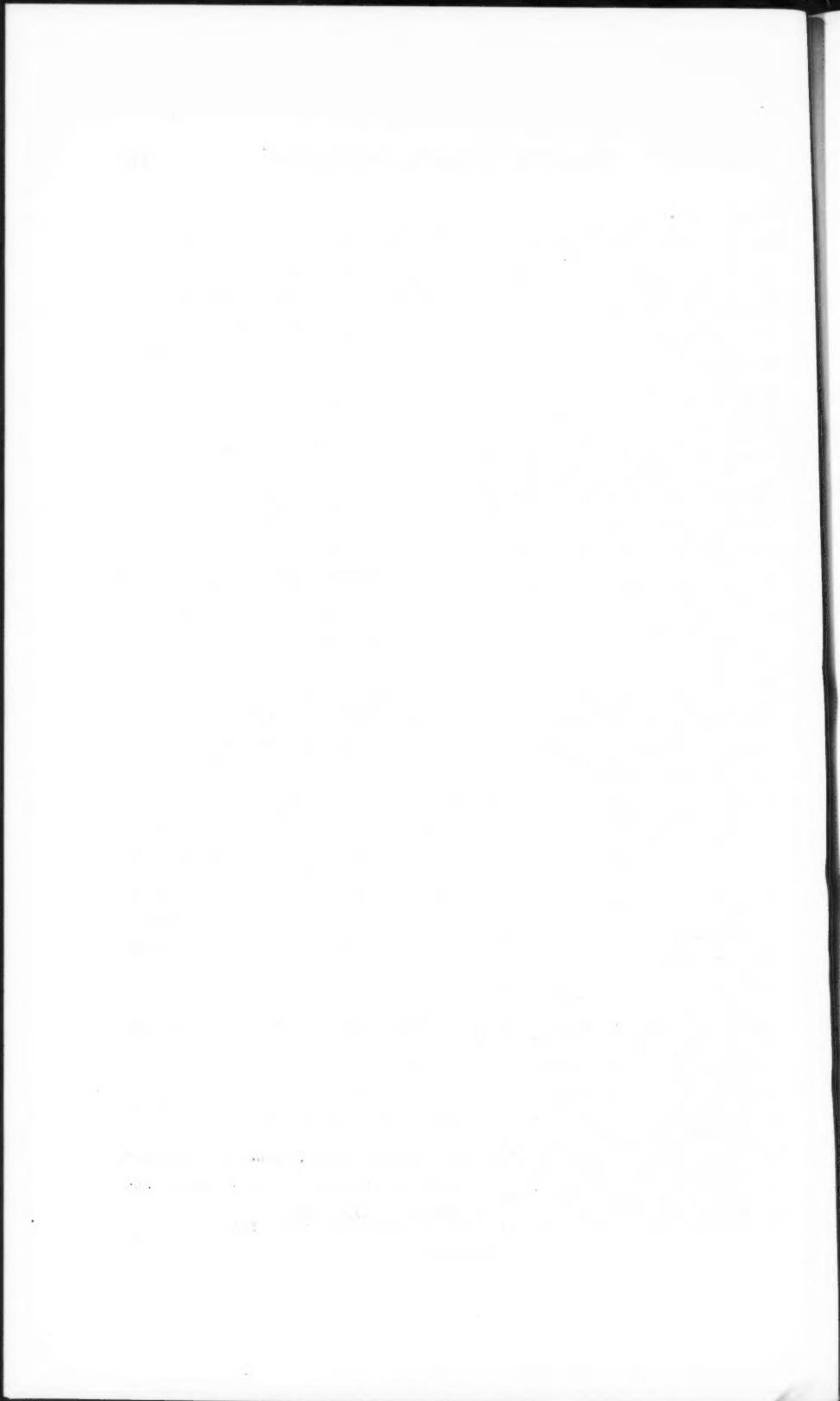
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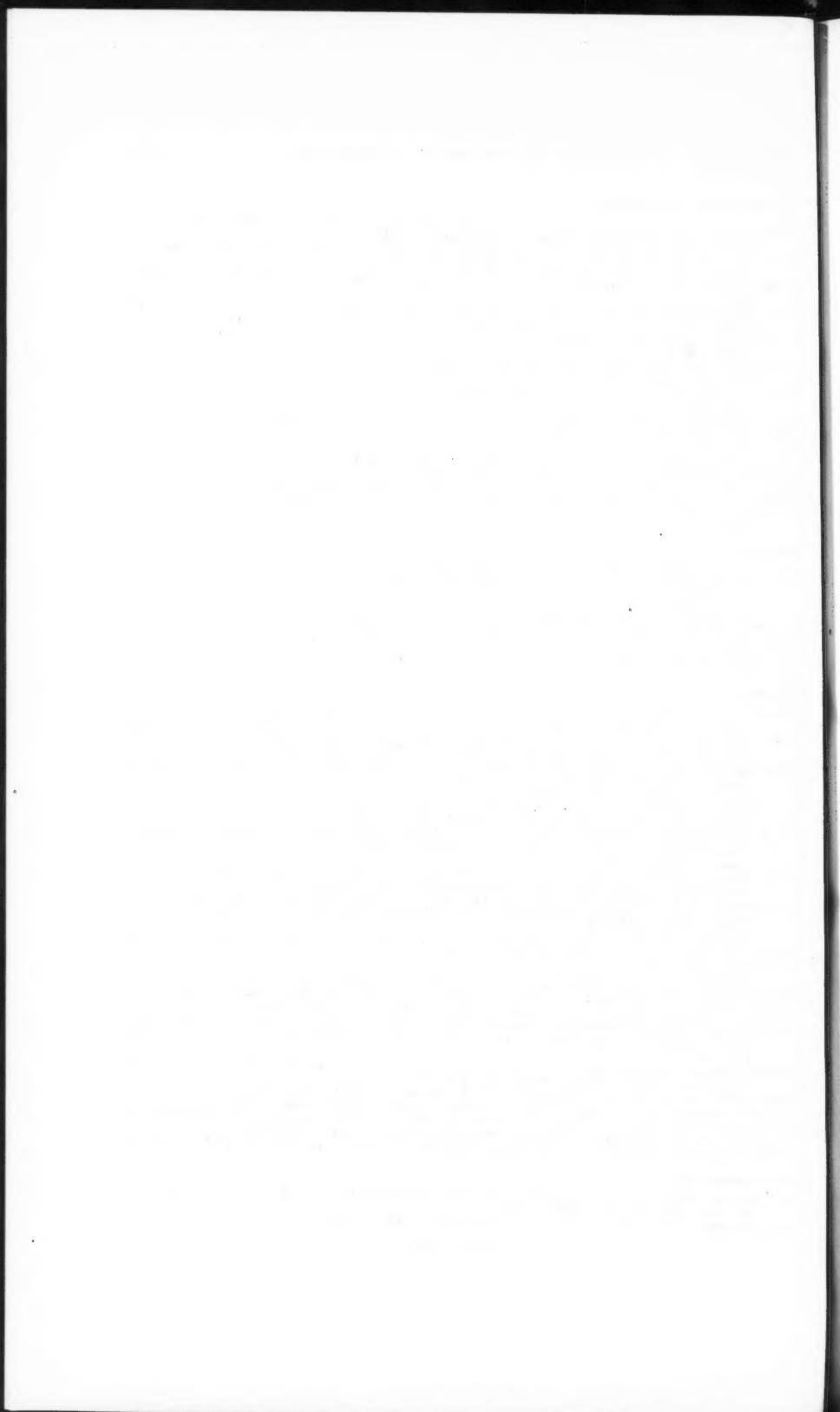
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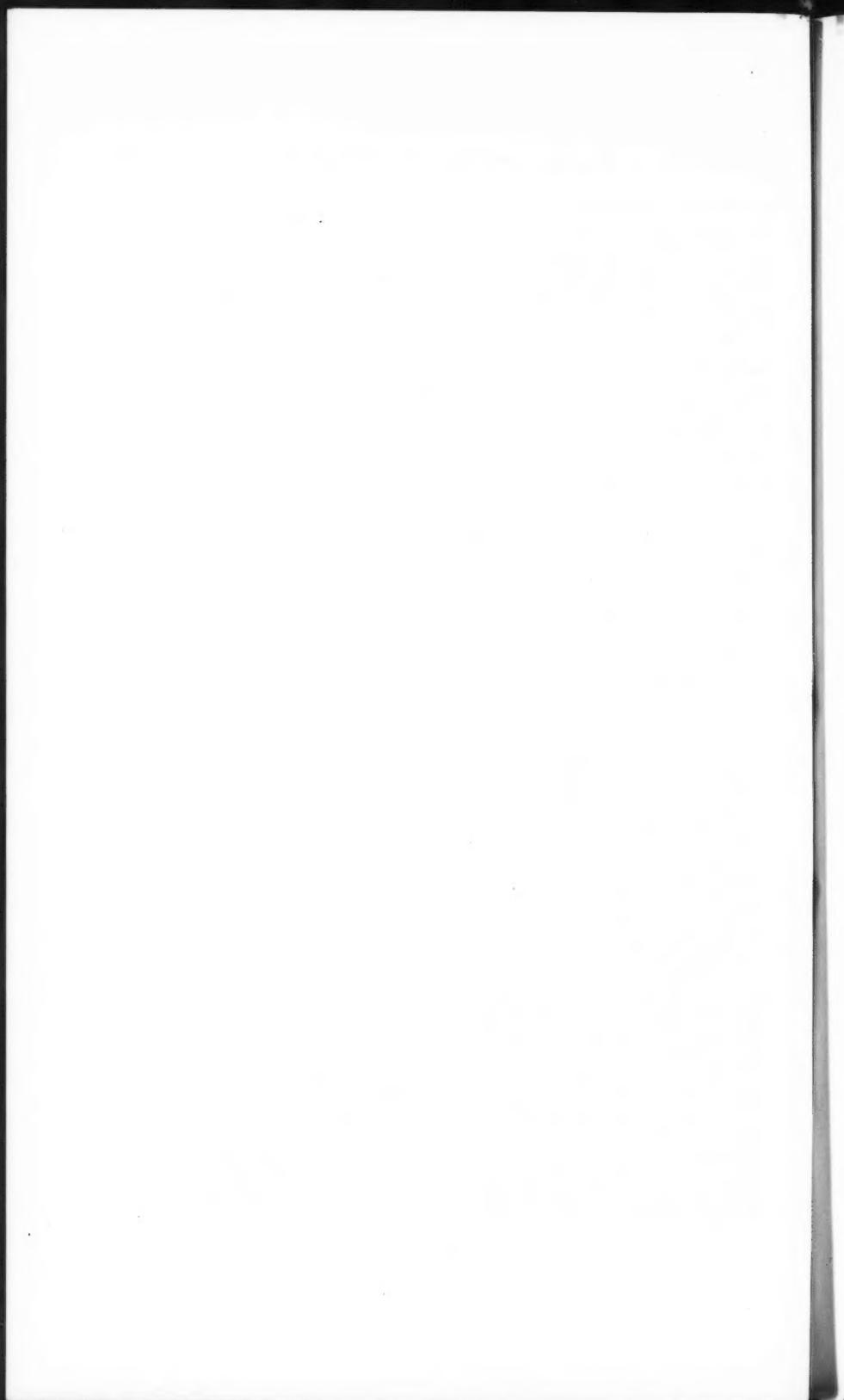
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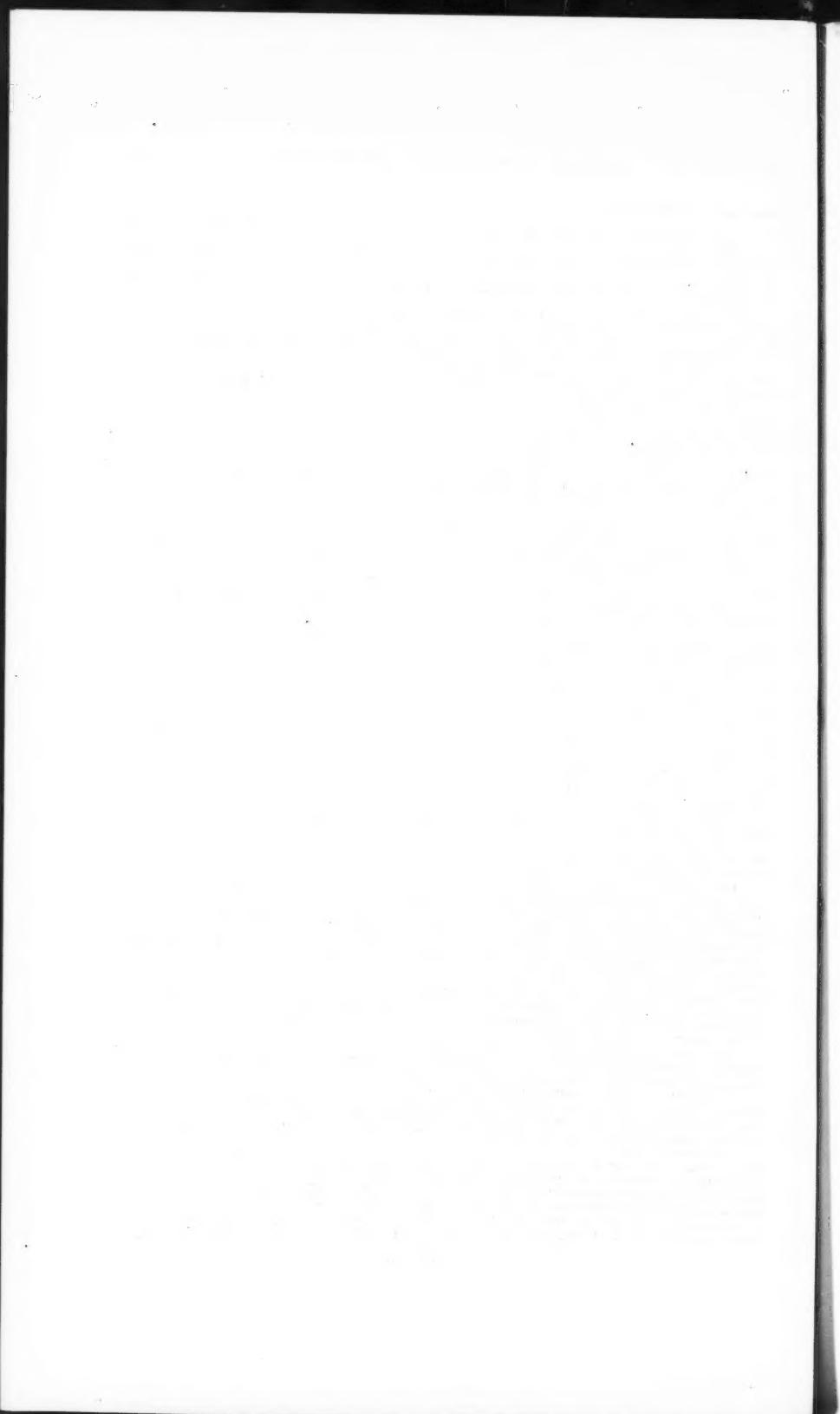
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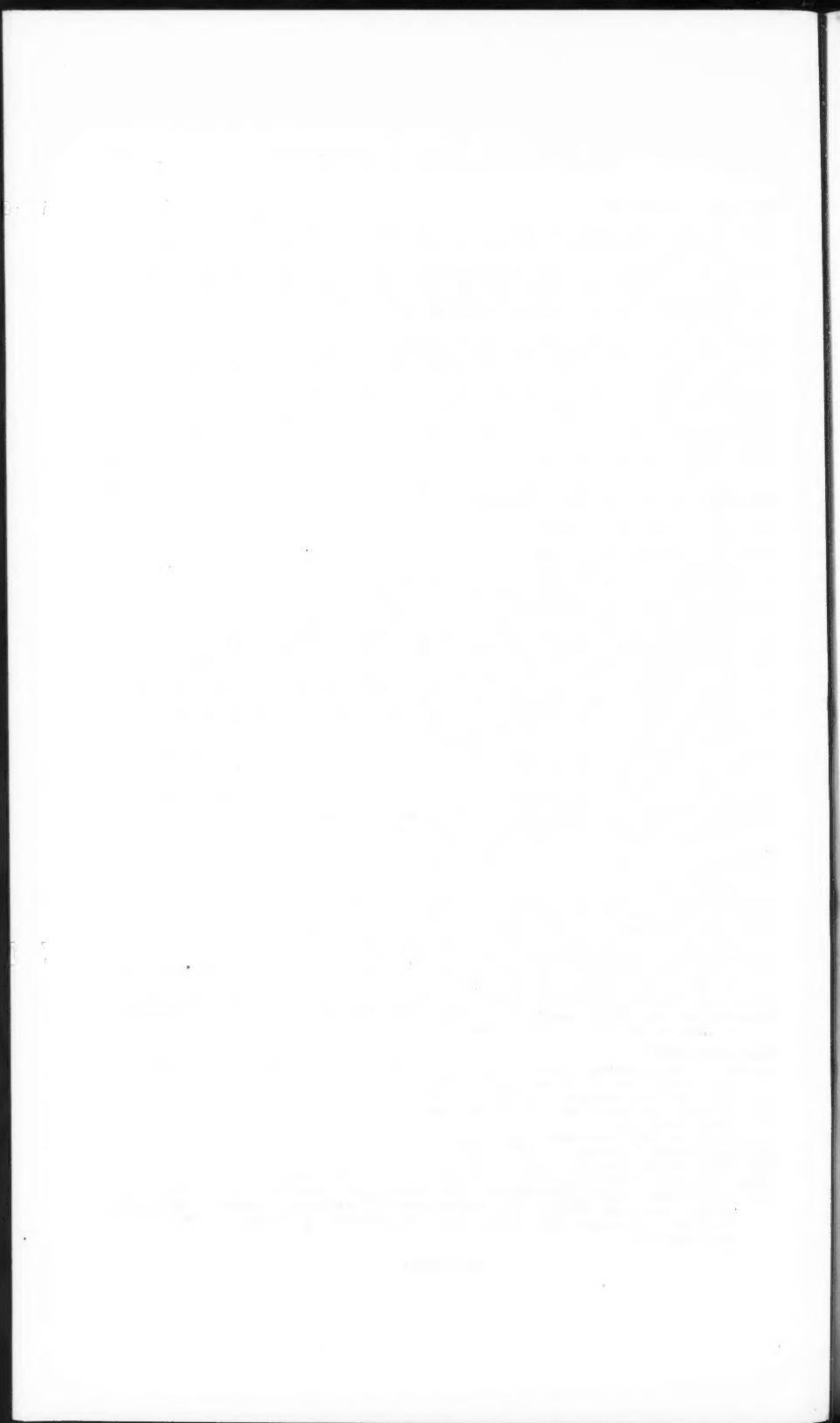
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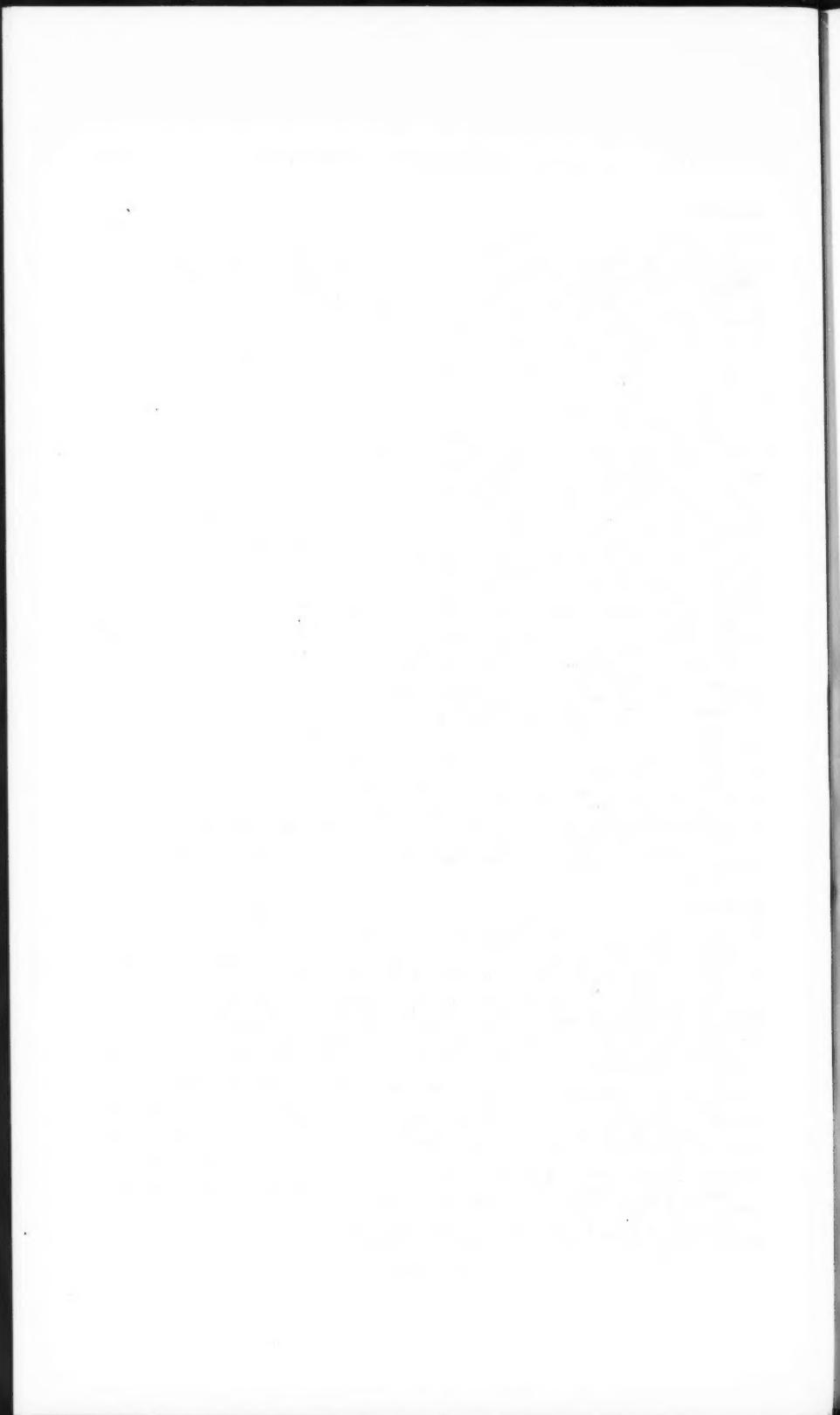
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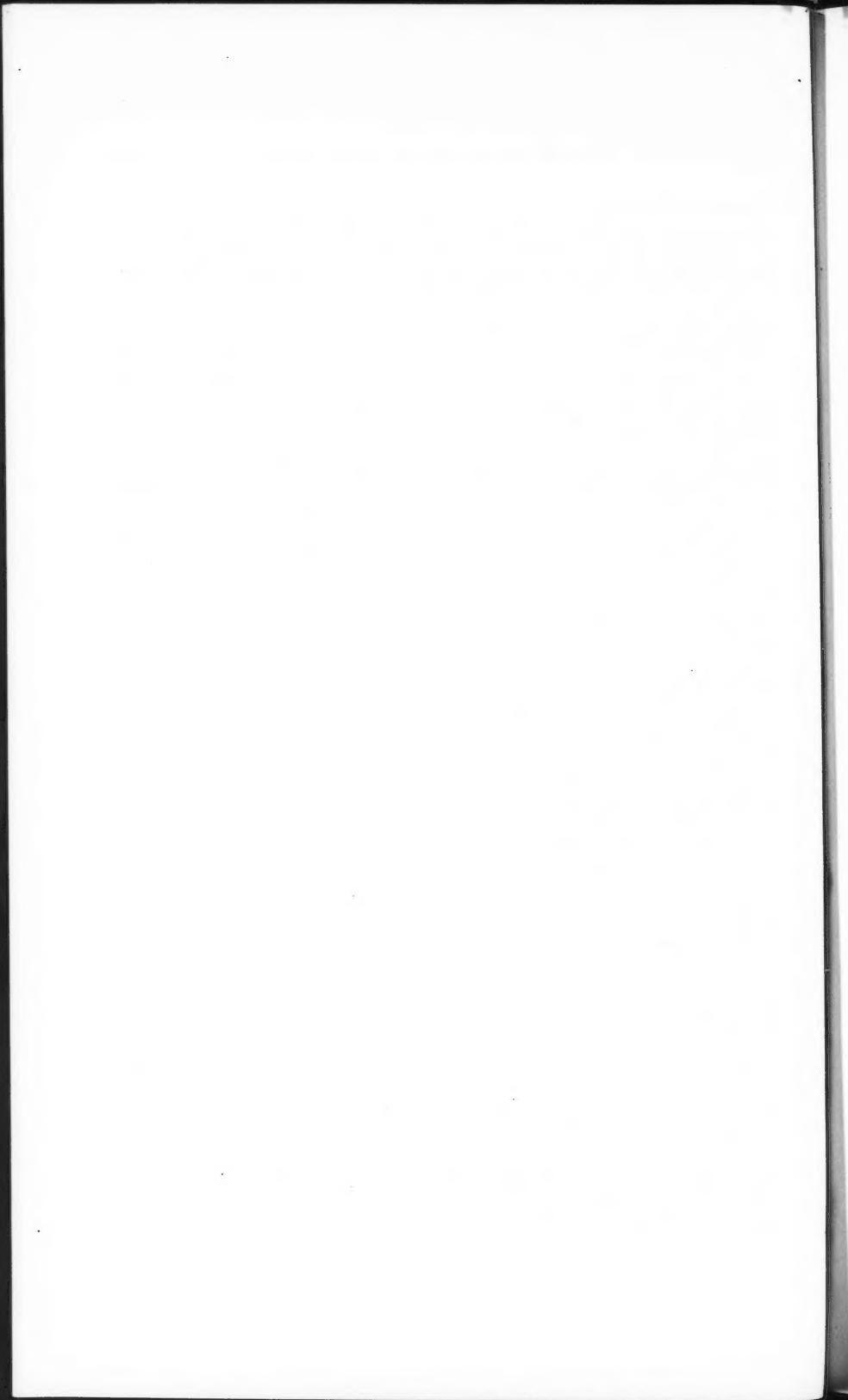
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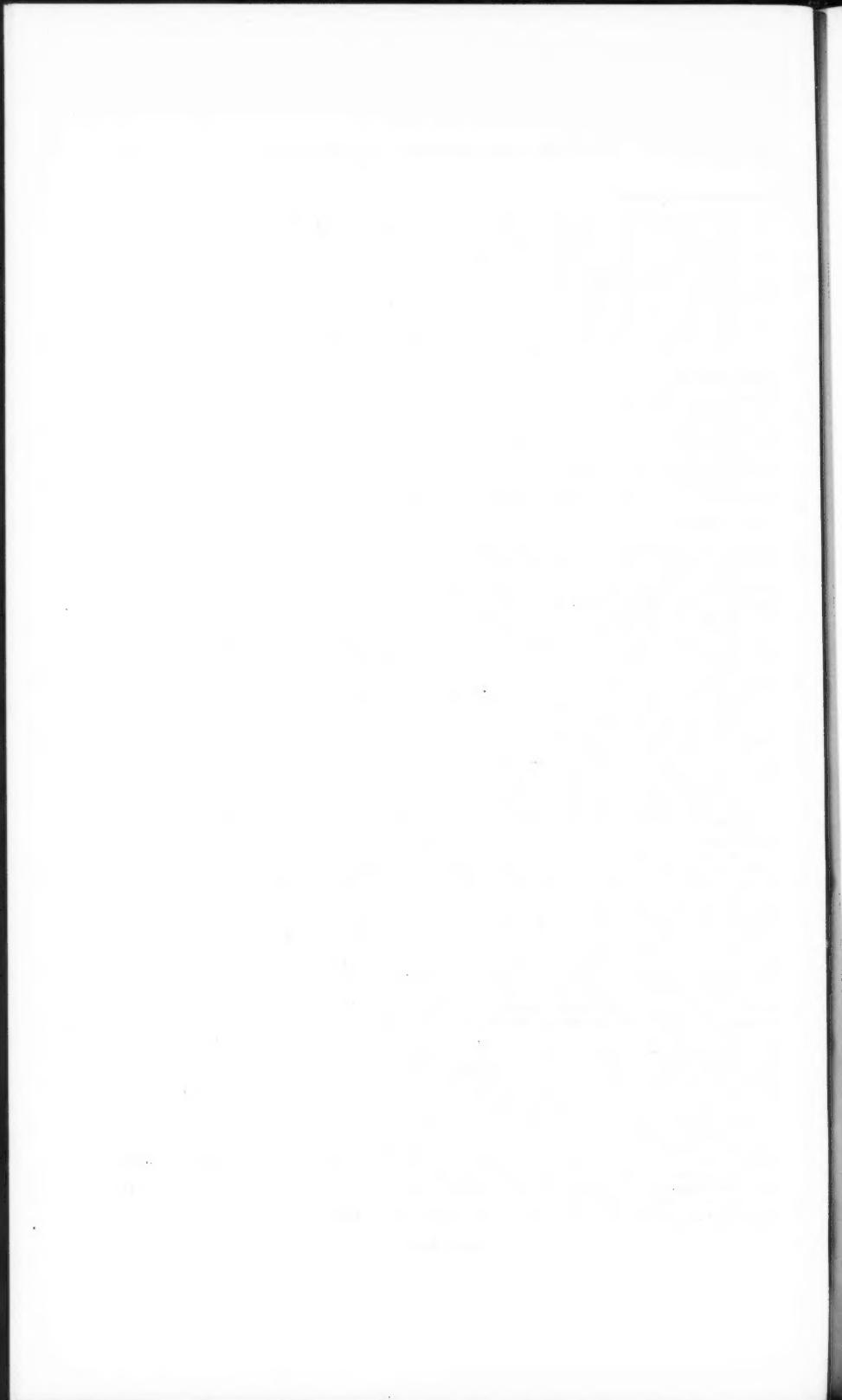
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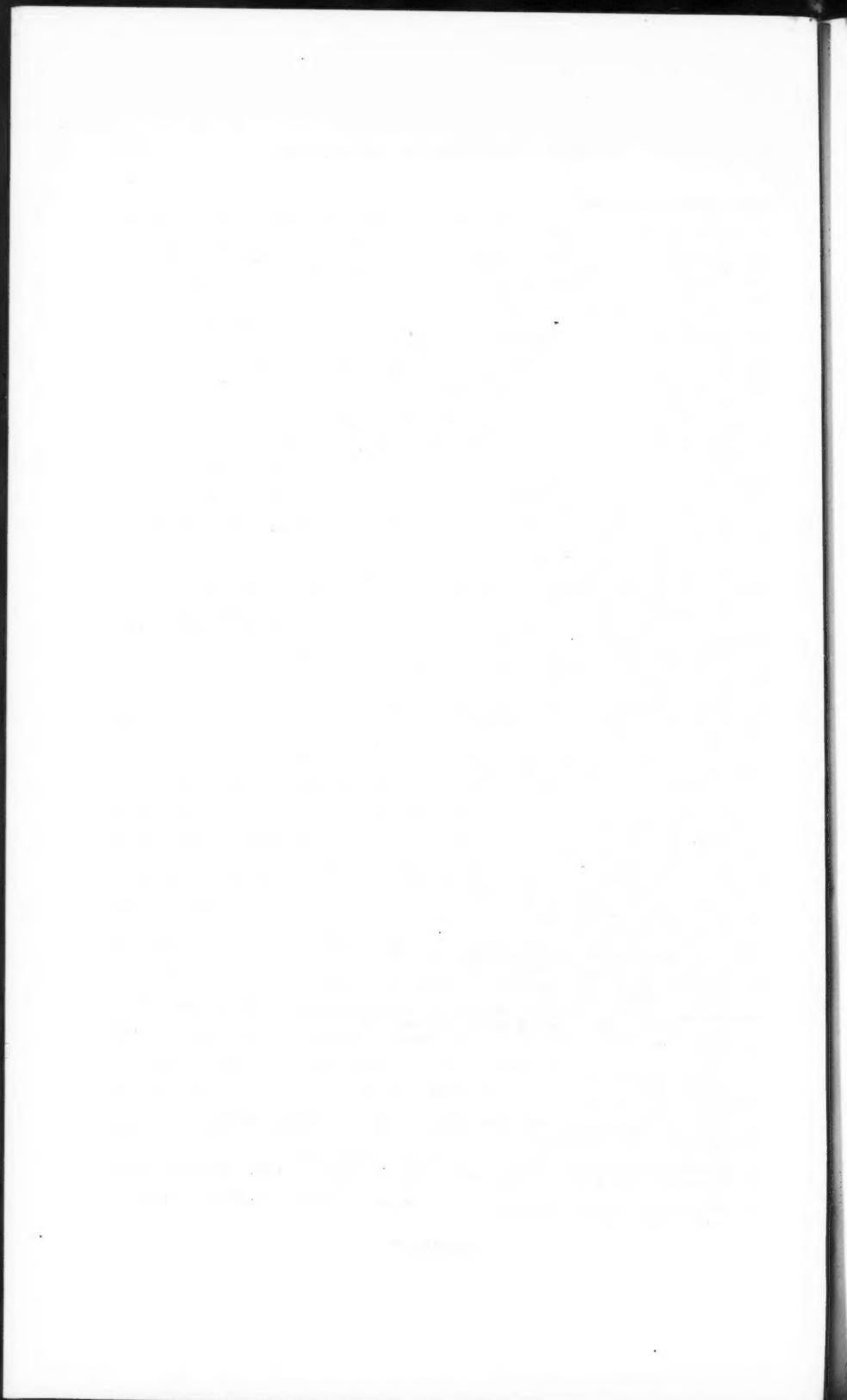
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